

Amendments to the Specification

Amend the Abstract as follows:

Provided is a policy based management system such that a policy enforced by each router (a managed device) in a network can be optimally adjusted in real time according to [[a]] traffic usage. [[At a]] A managed device [[3]] in a network [[NT]], ~~there is provided~~ has: a policy enforcement means ~~31 for enforcing~~ an element that enforces policy information distributed from a management device [[2]], thereby controlling [[a]] traffic; a policy evaluation means ~~32 for evaluating~~ an element that evaluates a policy based on policy evaluation information distributed from the management device [[2]]; and a policy adjustment means ~~33 for an element that dynamically adjusting~~ adjusts the policy based on the policy adjustment information distributed from the management device [[2]] and the evaluation result caused by ~~said evaluation means~~ the evaluating element.